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PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 2003P04656WOUS

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Inventor:	Wolfgang Klumpp, et al.	)	Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
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Serial No.:	10/550,781	)	Examiner: Not Yet Assigned
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Filed:	September 27, 2005	)	Confirmation No: 1873
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Title:	TEMPERATURE COMPENSATION ELEMENT FOR A CONNECTION UNIT		

**Mail Stop PCT LEGAL**  
**Commissioner for Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

### SUPPLEMENTAL REQUEST TO WITHDRAW THE HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.181(a) and 1.8(b), Applicants respectfully request the Commissioner to withdraw the holding of abandonment on grounds that a complete reply to the Response to Notification of Missing Requirements within the time period specified in the Notification was filed with the USPTO.

On August 29, 2008, Office of PCT Legal Affairs Legal Examiner Rafael Bacares dismissed without prejudice Applicants' previously filed request to withdraw the holding of abandonment dated 26 June 2008. Mr. Bacares reasoned that Applicant did not satisfy

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requirement (2) of 37 CFR 1.8(b) because "the present petition includes a copy of the previously transmitted correspondence and certificate of transmission, however, no copy of the executed declaration filed on August 7, 2006 has been filed."

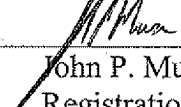
In response, Applicants submit a copy of the executed declaration filed on August 7, 2006 by the person who executed the Certificate of Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8 on the response materials, Ann Hickey, as indicated by the Certificate of Transmission.

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the holding of abandonment is therefore respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees due in connection with this paper, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 19-2179.

Respectfully submitted,

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